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On October 22 and November 1 respectively, Poloff delivered reftel demarches to MFA International Organizations Counselor Dr. Hamad Bou Rahmah. Bou Rahmah said that the decision on which candidate to support in the elections for the UN Independent Audit Advisory Committee (IAAC) will be taken by the Kuwaiti delegation to the UN. At this time, Bou Rahmah does not know which candidate the GOK is likely to support, but promised to relay to the Kuwaiti delegation the reftel points in favor of Mr. David Walker.

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